

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



FISCAL NOTE

SR 176

January 25, 2010

SUMMARY OF BILL: Recognizes the importance of a state-federal partnership in support of the objectives of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act. Urges the United States Congress to stimulate markets for recycled materials, recycling, and source reduction and the development of solid waste management plans. Urges the federal government to increase technical assistance to state and local governments in developing source reduction, source separation, reuse, and recycling programs. Urges the removal of artificial price supports in order to create regulatory parity between recyclable and reusable material and virgin material. Urges Congress to provide for a limited authorization and/or waiver of the Commerce Clause to provide states with the greatest authority possible to manage solid waste.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures – Not Significant

Assumption:

- Any increase in state expenditures to prepare and transmit a copy of this resolution is estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "James W. White".

James W. White, Executive Director

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